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30 November 1948

Dr. Robert M. W. Kempner  
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Dear Dr. Kempner:

Thank you for forwarding the briefs concerning Edmund Veessenmayer and the German activities for pressing Japan into war against the United States. We find these briefs most interesting and again wish to express our appreciation to you for sending them on.

Sincerely,

*as directed thru DDO*  
R. H. Hillenkoetter  
Rear Admiral, USN  
Director of Central  
Intelligence

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Note for Record: Ltr from Kempner to DCI: "Enclosed you will find the final trial brief against Edmund Veessenmayer who was very active in espionage and sabotage activities. You might also be interested in the attached brief concerning German activities for pressing Japan into the war against the United States."  
4 Encls: Military Tribunal IV, Case No. 11, USA v. ~~ERNEST~~ ERNST VON WEIZSAECKER, et al Final Brief on the Criminal Responsibility of EDMUND VEESENMAYER under Counts I and II (Crimes against Peace) 11/3/48; Counts V, VII and VIII 11/8/48; Military Tribunal IV, Case No. 11 USA v. Ernst Von Weizsaecker, et al/ Final Brief on Counts I and II against EVW and Ernst Woermann w/regard to aggressive war against the US 11/19/48. (Kempner lists the above as 4 Encls, thus: Veessenmayer: 1. Count I; 2. Count II; 3. Count V; 4. Brief re pressing Japan into war w/US)

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GENERAL WRIGHT:

Didn't we recently have a newspaper article  
on Dr. Kempner, which was derogatory?? The article  
was forwarded to I&S.

yes

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3 November 1948

Dr. Robert M. W. Kempner  
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Dear Dr. Kempner:

Thank you very much for your letter of 28 October 1948, enclosing a copy of the trial brief against Ernst W. Bohle. We have found the brief interesting and wish to express our appreciation.

Sincerely,

*Signed*

R. H. MILLENKOETTER  
Rear Admiral, USN  
Director of Central Intelligence

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NOTE FOR RECORD: Ltr from Kempner: "I thought your agency might be interested in the trial brief against Ernst W. Bohle, formerly head of the Foreign Organization of the Nazi Party." Encl: Military Tribunal IV, Case No. 11, The U.S.A., V., Ernst Von Weizsaecker, et al., Final brief on the criminal responsibility of Ernst Wilhelm Bohle, Nurnberg, 23 October 1948, by Robert M. W. Kempner, Director, Political Ministries Division, for Telford Taylor, BG, USA, Chief of Counsel for War Crimes.

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